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1. Early on the morning of 20 July 1951, an AAA unit of 200 soldiers, who wore red-bordered black epaulets and were equipped with 22 x 37-mm AA guns, 8 heavy AA machine guns, 1 sedan and 40 trucks, was loaded at the Velten (N 53/Z 66) railroad station. 25X1

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2. On 12 July, a convoy of 20 trucks, each carrying 5 or 6 soldiers and pontoons, was observed entering Neuruppin (N 53/Z 49) from the highway from Wittstock (N 54/U 11). The convoy included a large amphibious vehicle. 25X1

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3. On 12 July, a train of 24 gondola cars with trucks and pontoons passed through the Neuruppin-Rheinsberger Tor railroad station and proceeded toward Neustadt (N 53/Z 13) on the Dosse River. 25X1

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4. On 12 July, sedans were identified at the 25X1

See Kaserne, and armored scout car at the Friedrich Franz Kaserne in Neuruppin. Trucks 25X1

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were observed in the streets of the city. (4) 25X1

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(1) Comments. the train carried a component of the 31st AAA Div. 25X1

(2) The loading of a headquarters engineer unit of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army in Neuruppin was reported on 12 July. 25X1

See Since the convoy mentioned in the present report consisted of trucks as 25X1

mentioned in the reference report, the unit was probably the 25X1

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aforementioned engineer unit. The route of the convoy indicates 25X1  
that it came from the Gentzrode Estate, 6 km north of Neuruppin. 25X1  
where the unit has been quartered since early May 1951. [REDACTED]

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